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1. IN VIEW CAPABILITY AND WILLINGNESS OF CONGEN TO CONTINUE TO ADMINISTER ASSISTANCE TO CHINESE REFUGEES IN HONG KONG AND MACAU, FINAL APPROVAL GRANTED.
2. DEPARTMENT HAS MERGED FAR EAST REFUGEE PROGRAM INTO NEW WORLDWIDE REFUGEE ASSISTANCE CATEGORY, "U.S. ASSISTANCE TO REFUGEES AND MIGRANTS" (USARM). THEREFORE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM ADMINISTERED IN HONG KONG SHOULD HENCEFORTH BE REFERRED TO AS "USARM/HONG KONG". TERMINOLOGY RELATING TO REFUGEE AND MIGRATION UNIT (RMU), WHICH PHASED OUT ON JUNE 30, SHOULD OF COURSE ALSO BE DROPPED.
3. DEPT. GREATLY APPRECIATES CONGEN WILLINGNESS TO CONTINUE TO TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR ADMINISTERING CHINESE REFUGEE ASSISTANCE. INGERSOLL

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